

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 20, 2015

SERVICES AT 8:30 AND 11:00 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Church Schedule this week:

TODAY: Sunday School and Confirmation classes begin!

Tue., Sep. 15th: Zumba, 6:30 p.m., gym

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: 8:45 AM - 2:00 PM, Monday through Friday

PASTOR COBB'S CORNER:

As our interim pastor, Pastor Cobb plans to regularly be in the office on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays (mornings, afternoons and evenings) as well as Sunday worship and afternoon). He will attend meetings as requested on Mondays and plans to be available for emergency calls and appointments. Call the church office, 245-7861, to schedule or his NEW cell phone number, 757-634-2419. He would love to have evening home or office visits (even meals!), if you wish to call him and schedule.

CHRISTIAN HOPE AND SYMPATHY

are extended to the family of Bo Lindfors who passed away on Tuesday, September 15, 2015. A memorial service was held at Trinity on Saturday, September 19. Please keep Nancy Lindfors, Natalie (Lindfors) Recupero, Eric Lindfors, Matthew Lindfors, as well as all of their families in your prayers. "Thanks be to God who gives us victory in Jesus Christ our Lord."

CONFIRMATION CLASSES TODAY!:

Pastor Cobb will be leading the confirmation classes for rising 8th and 9th graders TODAY, during the Sunday School hour, in the conference room, just to the left of the Columbarium.

SUNDAY SEEKERS ADULT CLASS:

Please consider joining our adult "seekers" class this fall. We will be studying Marcus Borg's *Speaking Christian* beginning Sunday, September 20, in the parlor (between services). For more information about the book and/or ordering information, contact Patricia McClelland at 930-0358 or psml@cox.net.

NURSERY HELP NEEDED:

Our nursery staff needs your help. Please prayerfully consider volunteering your time to help care for the small children in the nursery on Sunday mornings. You may sign up to help for either service on the sheet provided on the main church bulletin board, or speak with Charlotte Duff.

IMPORTANT! USHERS NEEDED :

Please take a moment to sign up to usher for one of the fall months. The sign-up sheets are posted on the church bulletin board, in the hallway before you head down to the social hall. Thank you!

ALTAR FLOWERS FOR OCT & NOV:

There are several openings for flowers at the 11 a.m. services in both October and November. The flower chart sign-up sheet is located in the nursery hallway. Please return your flower vase to the sacristy kitchen. *Thank you!*

TRANSITION:

In this time of transition, we ask that Trinity congregation call or email the church office with updates about members who are ill, injured, or in recovery from illness or injury. Please let us know where they are located, a room number if they have one, and if they wish to have visitors.

“FAITH IN ACTION” NIGHT

RESUMES :

“Faith in Action” night is back on. The first one will be held on October 6th from 6 to 8 PM in the social hall. Dinner will begin at 6 PM followed by committee group meetings. Please come out to hear about the work of the committees and to share in food and fellowship.

TLS COLLECTIONS:

Trinity School is continuing to collect the following items: used printer ink cartridges, Box Tops for Education (located on different brands of grocery products), Campbell’s Soup Labels and Farm Fresh Receipts. Plastic bins are in the narthex to place your items in for the school.



MUSCLE POWER AND A WILLINGNESS TO HELP . . .

are kindly requested from LINK to assist Marlon with moving six of their CANLINK clients at the end of this month. If you are able to help Marlon, please call him at 291-5574.

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR LINK:

LINK is in need of the following items for the up-coming PORT season: Men’s sweaters - all sizes, hats, gloves, shoes/

boots, jeans and thick trousers/slacks, thick jackets, deodorant, toothpaste, and toothbrushes. **Please drop off any items you have to donate at the LINK office on Warwick Boulevard. Thank you!**

SUPPORT NEEDED:

Jenny Davis and her husband James, are in need of support in many ways. Both blind and living on a limited state provided income and food stamps. LINK and several congregation members have already provided furniture for the couple. They are now in need of various toiletries, cat food, cat litter and holiday decorations and prepared meals. In addition, they need weekly help reading the mail and monthly help with submitting bill payments. Clifford Obara is coordinating the offerings. If anyone would like to stay a few minutes after the church services to help with reading the mail and assisting with getting on the Handi-Ride bus, please see Cliff.

MEALS ON WHEELS HELP NEEDED:

The Peninsula Agency on Aging is desperate for volunteers to deliver meals in all areas of Newport News. If you are interested in helping in this very worthwhile service, call 873-0541.

CONGRATS JOSHUA HEAD & EMA!:

The EMA Music & Arts Program has been giving lessons to students in the basement section of our church for just over a year now. Their program is lead by Joshua Head and his group of talented music teachers for summer camps and fall, after-school lessons. Recently, the students wrote and produced a commercial that was and will be broadcast for a nationwide campaign. To date, it has aired during the ACC football games, and on CW this past week.

Congrats to Joshua, his wife, Kendra, the EMA music teachers and especially all of the EMA students! We are very proud of you.



**DO YOU KNOW
HOW TO
CROCHET?:**

Girl Scout Troop 4170 and their troop leader, Michelle Carpenter, one of our Trinity members, is looking for 7-8 moms, aunts and grandmas that would be willing to teach our girl scout troop the basics of crocheting.

Our Crochet, Tea and Cookies event will be held on Wednesday, October 7, from 4 - 5 p.m. in the Trinity Social Hall. Our troop will provide crochet hooks and yarn along with tea and cookies!

If you can help, please provide your name, email address and/or phone number so I can get in touch with you. Thank you!

Michelle Carpenter, Trinity Girl Scout Troop Leader | 757-593-0439 (cell) or by email at mc@michellecarpenter.com.

OKTOBERFEST:

Come and join us for "Oktoberfest 2015," Saturday night, October 3 at 5:30 pm. Trinity Lutheran Church and the Congregational Life Committee will host this annual event in the church

social hall. Be a part of this great Trinity tradition, Good food, Good time and Good fun. We will enjoy Bavarian / German & American food, drink and music. Hope to see you, family and friends there. GOD BLESS !!!!!

~The Congregational Life Committee

UNWANTED 2016 CALENDARS:

2016 Calendars have started coming in early this year. Please bring any extras you receive and place them in the cardboard box marked "CALENDARS" in the narthex. They will be collected and distributed to "Meals On Wheels" recipients.

"41" MINISTRY:

Please continue to support the "41 Ministry." This is a request to each household that \$5 be added to the weekly giving so that we may increase our support for the mission and ministries of Trinity and reserve funds to refurbish the social hall floor. Your donation is very much appreciated.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP:

A Grief Support Group is holding meetings at the Peninsula Pastoral Counseling Center, located at 707 Gum Rock Court, in City Center. The sessions are held on the second and fourth Tuesdays and Thursdays, respectively, of every month. There is no charge to participate in this support group. If you would like more information, you can call 947-3420.

COMMENTS BOX:

If you have any concerns, questions or comments for the council, please use the comment box next to the Sacristy kitchen



CHANCEL FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TODAY TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND . . .

in memory of her husband, Arc Hudgens, by Gerda Hudgens
and
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Serving as:	8:30 a.m. Service	11:00 a.m. Service
Music Ministry	Chancel Choir	Celia Brockway Macchia
Crucifer	Chip Nassau	Mark Madler
Acolytes	Stephen McWithey Thomas McWithey	Laura Madler Nathan Rummel
Communion Assistant	Brad Goodman	John Savage
Lector/Reader	Sue Moeslein	Mynoymanys
Presenters	Peggy & Daniel Harriman	Don Sniady, Anne Obara
Greeters	Suzanne Beckstoffer, James & Susan Deagle	Fed Ardis, Harlan Hamby
Usher Captain	Suzanne Beckstoffer	Fred Ardis
Ushers	Suzanne Beckstoffer, James & Susan Deagle, Rock or Sue Moeslein	Fred Ardis, Harlan Hamby, Chris Lindemann John Lunsford, Don Sniady
Altar Guild Saturday Set-up	Karoline Ardis	
Altar Guild	Astrid Quist	Karoline Ardis
Nursery Supervisor	Kelly Rummel	
Nursery Attendants	Kathy Stevens	Reagan Belote
Building Lockup	N/A	Cliff Obara

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